

PETER FOSTER.

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JANUARY 4, 1832.

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Mr. BOULDIN, from the Committee on Revolutionary Claims, made the following

REPORT:

*The Committee on Revolutionary Claims, to which was referred the petition of Peter Foster, Lieutenant of Infantry in the revolutionary war, report:*

That the petitioner claims the commutation of five years' full pay, in lieu of half pay for life, as lieutenant of infantry, under the resolves of Congress, of 1780 and 1783. It appears by the certificate of the Secretary of the Treasury, that the petitioner receives the compensation given by the act of 1828, to certain surviving officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war; which compensation depends on the petitioner's having had a right to the commutation now claimed; and it appears by the certificate of Peter Hagner, (3d Auditor) that the petitioner has received no part of the said half pay, or commutation in lieu thereof. Your committee, therefore, report a bill for his relief.

